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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Communication from the Examiner mailed February 12, 2002 regarding the need to comply with Sequence Listing requirements under 37 C.F.R. §§1.821-1.825, please amend the application as follows:

In the Specification:

- · On page 6, replace the paragraph at lines 22 to 27 with the following replacement paragraph:
- -- Figure 2: Polynucleotide and polypeptide sequence (SEQ ID NOs 1 and 2, respectively) of the scFv that forms the basis of a library according to the invention. There are currently two versions of the library: a "primary" library wherein 18 positions are varied and a "somatic" library wherein 12 positions are varied. The six loop regions H1, H2, H3, L1, L2 and L3 are indicated. CDR regions as defined by Kabat (Kabat et al. (1991). Sequences of proteins of immunological interest, U.S. Department of Health and Human Services) are underlined.--
- · On page 6 to page 7, replace the paragraph starting at page 6, line 35 and ending on page 7, line 2 with the following replacement paragraph:
- -- Figure 4: Sequences of clones selected from libraries according to the invention, after panning with bovine ubiquitin (SEQ ID NOs: 7-18), rat BIP (SEQ ID NOs: 19-42), bovine histone (SEQ ID NOs: 43-96), NIP-BSA (SEQ ID NOs: 97-150), FITC-BSA (SEQ ID NOs: 151-198), human leptin (SEQ ID NOs: 199-222), human thyroglobulin (SEQ ID NOs: 223-240), BSA (SEQ ID NOs: 241-276), hen egg lysozyme (SEQ ID NOs: 277-288), mouse IgG (SEQ ID NO: 289-300) and human IgG (SEQ ID NOs: 301-318). Underlines in the sequences indicate the positions which were varied in the respective libraries.--
- · On page 24, replace the paragraph on lines 7 to 23 with the following replacement paragraph: